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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

BENEFITS OF COOPERATION

One of the outstanding features of the East Tennessee Farmers' Convention was an address on organization for farmers by T. L. Strivings, president of the New York Farm Bureau Federation and vice-president of the national organization of farm bureaus.

The keynote of his address was that the farmers of this country must band themselves together for the ill of none but for the betterment of all, for we cannot have prosperity, individually, as banks, communities, states, or as a nation without prosperous farms. The competition for labor of the farm with industry is pathetic, and farmers should build up a great organization to deal with such problems. Mr. Strivings said that the perpetuation of the Government itself depends upon agriculture, and he emphasized the fact that the country is facing the narrowest food margin in its history. He viewed the exodus from the farm to the city with much alarm and stated that something must be done or else it will not be long till this country will be an importing country of food products instead of an exporting one. Farming must be encouraged to combat this. In New York, only 14 out of every 100 people are on the farm. There as in many other states the farmers are building an organization similar to the County Council of Agriculture in Tennessee for the purpose of correcting this condition, if possible, by making farm life more attractive.

The farmer must couple brawn with brain in tilling the soil, as with either of these alone he surely would fail. The work of the experiment stations and the college of agriculture in bringing to the youth of the country better farming methods was lauded by the speaker as bringing to them the very things they need most.

One of the things which must be done, said Mr. Strivings, is to build up the advantages of rural life with toil, to make this life mean more. The old farm must be made inviting to the young people. It must be a place where a youth will feel that he would like to settle down for a useful and contented life. There must be good churches, good roads, good schools, and good communities to tempt the young to stay in the country and organization and co-operation will secure these things he declared.

CARTHAGE, TENN.

Carthage, Tenn.
June 7, 1920.

Dear Editor:

If you will grant me the space in your dear paper I will come again.

Everything is dull around Carthage at the present, as the tobacco season is over.

L. G. Cason and wife visited at Livingston last week.

Hello! New Hurricane. Wake up. Have you gone to sleep. Write us a big lot of news each week.

Hello! Andrew Flynn, when are you going to Cookeville again? Cecil said for you to come back as he was broke.

R. H. Little, Jr., and the writer of Carthage Marble Works went to Celina last week to put in the foundation for the Kyle Monument, which will be erected in this month.

Grover Moss and myself happened to a very dangerous auto accident a few weeks past. The car rolling over a high embankment, but both escaped unhurt.

Hello! Calvin Spivey, lets make another car trip to Pine Lick, when the quick sand dries up this fall.

I must close for this time, with best regards to the Sentinel and all its readers.

L. G. Cason,

YUBY DAM FOR ROBERTS.

It is the old time howl of the old time gang, I hear it now away up in the Whizzer office in Yuby Dam. It is the howl of the politicians of Tennessee. It comes up from the political meadows, where men grow horns and fight and gore one another on down ad infinitum. It seems like the howl of the doomed. It is filled with longing and despair.

It is the howling of the forlorn crew. The noisy minority. A little sprinkle of unfortunates, howling for Gov. Robert's job. They are hankering after power. They want the crown. They stand with eager fingers ten to take it in.

But the thing wont gin. They stretch forth their pale thin hands to pull the plum. But it cant be done. They haven't got the reach. They can't "come it Davy."

This is one time that they have got here entirely too late and have come entirely too soon.

The whole "push" of them will have to be content for two more bitter years, to be cupbearers to the king.

A one-eyed man can see that Roberts is ready. A man that knows a hawk from a hand saw knows that he has his house in order. His political fences need no mending. Every sail of the great "Ship of State", is fluttering to the breeze. Everything is blooming. There is nothing to hurt or make us afraid in all this fruitful land. We have not even a woman's reason for swapping horses in the middle of the stream.

From time immemorial it has been the established custom under such conditions as these to let a man wear the regal robe a second time. So I and my town are for Gov. Roberts to a man and he is going to make a big catch all over my kingdom. Lower Bill Town, Zig Zag Hollow, Blue Cut Ruin, Gad Town and Fiddlers Green. He will also make a big killing all over the rest of the state and walk into office the second time, big and strong, ready and willing and big dog like he will shuffle and deal the cards for two more years in a fair, square and statesman-like way. Will you get ready for the next game? Howl not my republican friends for the job. This time your howl will never be heard in heaven.

The political Slicker Snake.

P. S. I will soon visit you again in your habitat. And we will take a smoke together ere we go to where we smoke forever. Clipping from Whizzer.

"I GOT REAL MAD WHEN I LOST MY SETTING HEN," MRS. HANNAN.

"I went into my hen house one morning and found my favorite setter dead. I got real mad. Went to the store, bought some RAT-SNAP and in a week I got six dead rats. Everybody who raises poultry should keep RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by M. P. Bailey & Son, Quarles & McCawley, Anderson & Haile, Gainesboro.

BIG RAT KILLING.

J. H. Gaines, prosperous farmer of Haydenburg, visited the Sentinel office Monday. Mr. Gaines said he had the pleasure of seeing 152 dead rats in a pile at his barn about 4 weeks ago. The rats were slain by Joe Jenkins, his two boys and two dogs. They were carefully counted. After the fun was over, and numbered 152 all ages. The boys said several made their escape during the massacre. Mr. Gaines purchased a box of Rat-Snap, and said he was going to make an effort to kill those that made their getaway.

COUNTY HAPPENINGS.

DRY FORK.

Most all farmers are getting along fine with their crops.

Mrs. Cora Brown is slowly improving.

Ethel Wheeler and Jewel Brown attended church at Antioch Sunday.

Jas. Stout passed thru here week. He says he is a candidate for trustee.

Morgan Long, of Martin's Creek, was on Dry Fork Sunday.

Elija Pruitt and family, Joe Pruitt and family, Willie Brown and family spent Sunday with H. L. Brown and family.

S. S. Kirby and family, A. W. Reynolds, Bill Kirby Jr., spent Sunday with S. A. Ragland and family.

V. H. Wheeler went to Gainesboro recently on business.

Jennie and Johnnie Brown, Vivie and Velma Kirby visited Daisy and Ethel Wheeler recently.

Bedford Ragland was in Granville last week on business.

We all regretted to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. I. H. Netherton. The bereaved ones have our sympathy.

Walter Apple and Baugh Ragland, of Flynn's creek, was in this section recently.

Mrs. W. W. Wheeler was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Sarah Wheeler.

Letha Ann Brown visited Bessie Ragland recently.

There was preaching at Curry's chapel June 1.

Come on you Cal. writers your letters are fine.

BLOOMINGTON R. 1

Dear Editor:

If you will spare the space I will jot down a few items from this part.

Health is very good.

Farmers are behind with their work.

Oplis Flatt and Ethel Fox were quietly married Sunday, May 23. The bride is the daughter of Sidney Fox and wife, the groom is the son of Ben Flatt and wife.

Ermon Flatt is a regular visitor at Dillard West's.

Riley Flatt and family visited Jessie Flatt recently.

Lon Robinson was seen going down the Cookeville road singing "It is sweet to look beyond."

Haskell Grogan is a regular visitor at Henry McBroom's.

Hiram Way and family visited Merdie Fox.

Haskell Pippin visited S. R. Ragland recently.

Ermon Flatt is visiting his brother, Riley Flatt.

MEAGSVILLE.

Buford Upchurch spent Sunday at Authur Murphy's.

Comer Whitaker visited friends at Livingston recently.

Clara Allen spent last week with Maiford Hall.

Sissie Loftis and children spent Wednesday at O. L. Scantland's.

Mrs. D. D. Lundy, Cleo and Letha Moss will leave for Ohio this week.

Cleo Moss, Mrs. D. D. Lundy and little daughter, Cuillie were the guests of Joseph Judge and wife on Roaring river, recently.

Mrs. A. J. Murphy spent last week with her brother, Campbell Lynn in Whites Bend.

Mrs. Henry Hall has returned home, after spending several days with her daughter in Cookeville.

Guy Rogers, was a pleasant

caller at Charlie Lynn's, Sunday.

Monroe Richardson and wife, Jewel and Lillian Swan, Ruby Carver, and Alice Scantland were the guests of the Misses Moss' Saturday.

Farmers are all behind with their crops. It has been raining so much the weeds are outgrowing the corn.

Ethel Moss has returned home after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Lola Stafford.

Agnes Murphy was the guest of her brother, Morgan Murphy, recently.

Luverna Buck, Ellen Shepherd and Alice Scantland spent Sunday with Maiford Hall.

Bill Cherry, wife and daughter Bessie were the guests of Vogal Murphy and wife.

Ruby and Sarah J. Whitaker were the guests of Elna and Inez Hamilton Sunday.

Mamie Lovie Flynn spent Sunday night with Brinie and Dorothy Loftis.

Mrs. Lucy Bybee and little grandsons, Homer Bybee spent Thursday at Roof Moss'.

Lillie Warren spent Thursday with Pansy Emberton.

Mrs. Jennie Llynn was the guest of Mrs. Sissie Loftis recently.

Ruby and Sarah Whitaker spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Effie Bybee.

A party was given at Wesley Swan's Sunday night in honor of Charlie Swan, who will leave for Akron, Ohio. We wish him success.

Mrs. Lucy Bybee spent Friday night with her son, Turney Bybee.

You two sisters of Cal., come on with the news, we enjoy it.

GAINESBORO R. 1.

The heavy rainfall in this section last Friday has delayed the farmers considerably with their work.

Bill Hooten is very ill with malaria fever.

Misses Nora and Bessie Horner spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Alex Allen near Woodrow.

Comer Hix and Comer Warren were pleasant visitors at Thomas Chaffin's, Sunday.

George Wiley and Authur Warren made a business trip to Celina last week.

Born, to Thomas Chaffin and wife, a fine girl, last week.

Gaily Berry and wife visited Noah Whitaker.

Frank Ward, of Hilham, was in this section recently delivering enlarged pictures.

Liza Berry visited Mrs. Arnel Hix.

Mrs. Lassie Hix visited Annie Lou Hix Thursday.

Mrs. Verna Smith is able to be out again, after having been confined to her room for several weeks.

RODDY FOR TRUSTEE.

It has been strongly talked by some of the leading politicians, that our friend R. T. Roddy, prosperous farmer and citizen of the 1st district, would throw his hat into the Trustee's race, next week. Throw down the shovel and the plow, and straddle old skipping-Ida, R. T., you'd get a good vote, if you didn't land the office.

EQUALIZATION BOARD.

The Equalization Board, composed of J. A. Haile, Marion Harris, Luke Forkum, W. F. Maddux and Sam Cassetty, is in session here this week.

PROMINENT WEDDINGS

CHERRY-BYBEE.

Miss Florence Bybee, of near Meagsville, and W. M. Cherry, of Livingston, were married Sunday, May 30th, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Lucy A. Bybee, Bro. Henry Hall officiating.

The wedding was witnessed by the immediate relatives of the bride and groom, and a few intimate friends.

The bride is an accomplished and lovable young lady and has a wide circle of friends.

The groom is a former Jackson county farmer, and is well and favorably known here.

They will reside near Livingston, where Mr. Cherry purchased a farm several months ago.

BRANCH--MCCOIN.

Miss Maggie McCain of Whitelyville, and W. S. Branch of Fene State, were quietly married Sunday June 6th, at the home of the bride's uncle, Tobe McCain, in the presence of a few close friends, Fsq. B. S. Stone, officiating. Both are well known and highly respected in their communities.

CARTER--VITETOE.

Miss Nellie Vitetoe and Willis Carter, both of Bloomington R-1, were married Sunday, June 6th.

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Vitetoe, and has the esteem of a wide circle of friends.

The groom is a highly respected young farmer of the seventh district.

GREGORY--REED.

Miss Cora Reed, daughter of W. C. Reed, well known farmer of near Gainesboro, and W. B. Gregory, one of the leading farmers of Sumner county, were married in Gainesboro, Sunday June 6th, R. A. Montgomery officiating.

The bride has many relatives and friends here who wish them much happiness through life.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory were accompanied to their home near Bethpage by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gregory of that place and Mr. A. B. Hestand of near Gainesboro.

MCCROY--NEAL.

Miss Dora Neal of Whites Bend, this county, and Mr. T. C. McCroy of Kentucky, were quietly married in the county clerk's office here Thursday, May 27th, in the presence of a number of witnesses. Charley Taylor, Justice of the Peace of the 6th district, officiating.

The bride is a daughter of the late John Neal, who resided on Martin's creek, near Granville, and is an accomplished young lady, and has a host of friends where she resides.

The groom is a wealthy farmer and tobacco dealer of the blue-grass state.

An interesting feature about the wedding was the unusual way in which their courtship came about. Miss Neal procured a position in the overall factory in Cookeville sometime ago, and not being satisfied with the work resigned. But, before doing so she wrote her name on a slip of paper and placed it in a pocket of a pair of overalls. As time passed the overalls passed from the merchant to the wearer, and as luck would have it, came into the possession of Mr. McCroy. From the finding of the paper, a correspondence started, which resulted in Dan's favor.

The happy couple left for their home in Kentucky immediately after the ceremony.

The Sentinel wishes them all abundance of happiness.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

B. L. Quarles is visiting his family at Columbus, Miss.

John J. Gore, of Cookeville, was in Gainesboro this week.

Hugh Darwin, of Sparta, visited his family here this week.

Joe Marvin Brown, of Granville, spent Monday and Tuesday Gainesboro.

Misses Mamie Gibson and Willie Dixon are visiting relatives on Salt Lick.

Henry Gailbreath, of Granville was the guest of Gainesboro relatives. Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Fowler and children have returned from a three weeks stay in Nashville.

Mrs. A. D. Byrne and son, A. D. Jr., are spending the week with Cookeville relatives.

FOR SALE--Ford Roadster, in good condition all 'round. See Ernest Tinsley, Gainesboro.

Edwin Reeves has returned from T. P. I. Cookeville, where he has been for the past nine months.

Misses Doris and Willard Johnson have gone to Clarksville, where they will visit friends for several days.

You will save time and money by buying that Buckeye Cultivator, of Dennis & Tinsley. Just a few on hands.

Sergt. Hugh Moorman, of Louisville, Ky., was called to Gainesboro this week, on account of the illness of his wife.

Miss Leona Roberts is visiting her grandfather, N. A. Roberts, at Double Springs. Mr. Roberts continues in very bad health.

Better buy that Cultivator NOW, before its too late. When you buy, let it be a BUCKEYE, the satisfactory kind. --Dennis & Tinsley.

Frank Bailey, Nathan Roberts, and Claude Roberts made a business trip to Louisville, Ky., last week, returning with Ford cars for Draper & McCawley Co.

S. A. Morgan, of Cookeville, was in Gainesboro Friday. He spent the day with his brother, J. M. Morgan near here. He was accompanied by his son, Joe, who is running two oil rigs in Allen county, Ky. He believes from all surface indications that there is oil in this county.

We are glad to report John J. Young able to be out again, after being confined to his room for several weeks. Mr. Young has been associated with the revenue department, with headquarters in Chattanooga for a short time, and came home on account of bad health. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is regaining his health. During two months Mr. Young raided sixty "wildcat" stills in Eastern Tennessee and Northern Georgia, and didn't get all of them.

FISK--HICKS.

Moses Fisk, of Celina, and Miss Cora Hicks, of Monterey, were quietly married in the latter city on May 15. Both are popular young people, and their friends shower them with best wishes. Mr. Fiske is a prominent traveling salesman and a son of Bill Fiske, of Bill Fiske's Bugle. Mrs. Fiske is a popular young lady of her city. --Putnam County Herald.